



1 National Science Foundation Postdoctoral Fellowship in Chemistry,  
2 1995 through 1997, the National Science Foundation CAREER Award in  
3 1999, and the Wiley-International Journal of Quantum Chemistry  
4 Young Investigator Award in 2003; and

5 WHEREAS, Eric Bittner's outstanding research on the dynamics  
6 of molecules in their excited states earned him the honor of his  
7 Guggenheim Fellowship and placed him among an illustrious group of  
8 Guggenheim Fellows that includes recipients of the Nobel Prize, the  
9 Pulitzer Prize, and other awards of high and great distinction;  
10 now, therefore, be it

11 RESOLVED, That the 80th Legislature of the State of Texas  
12 hereby congratulate Professor Eric R. Bittner on his selection as a  
13 2007 Fellow by the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation and  
14 commend him for bringing pride and prestige to the University of  
15 Houston and to the people of Texas; and, be it further

16 RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be prepared for Eric  
17 R. Bittner as an expression of high regard from the Texas  
18 Legislature.